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## California Ranks 1<sup>st</sup> in Nation for “Insourced” Jobs

**Washington, DC — September 25, 2007** — With 542,600 Californians working for U.S. subsidiaries of companies headquartered abroad, California ranks 1<sup>st</sup> in the nation in terms of the total number of “insourced” jobs. The Organization for International Investment (OFII) today released new Commerce Department statistics, which show that insourced jobs continue to be an integral part of the U.S. economy.

“Foreign-based companies have paid the California workforce a huge compliment by choosing to employ hundreds of thousands of workers in the state,” said Todd Malan, President and CEO of the Organization for International Investment, a Washington, DC-based business group representing U.S. subsidiaries of companies based abroad. “U.S. subsidiaries insource jobs to every state in the country, supporting a total of 5.1 million American jobs and a \$336 billion annual payroll,” Malan stated.

### California “Insourcing” Job Facts

- California ranks 1<sup>st</sup> in the nation in terms of the number of workers employed by U.S. subsidiaries of foreign firms, with a total of 542,600 – providing the livelihood for more than 4 percent of California’s private-sector workforce;
- Overall, almost 23 percent of the insourced jobs in California are in the manufacturing sector, totaling 123,900 employees;
- Insourcing companies in California include: Honda, BAE Systems North America, Bridgestone Americas, GKN Aerospace Services, Miller Brewing Co., Mitsubishi Electric, Nestlé USA, Inc. and Sodexo.

Visit [www.ofii.org](http://www.ofii.org) for state specific information on “insourcing” and the overall economic impact of U.S. subsidiaries of foreign companies.

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